	DISTRICT COURT OF GUAM	
	TERRITOR'	Y OF GUAM
JULIE	BABAUTA SANTOS, et al.,	Civil Case No. 04-00006
	Plaintiffs,	
	vs.	Order
FELIX	A. CAMACHO, et al.,	
	Defendants.	
CHAR	MAINE R. TORRES, et al.,	Civil Case No. 04-00038
	Plaintiffs,	
	vs.	
GOVE	RNMENT OF GUAM, et al.,	
	Defendants.	
MARY	GRACE SIMPAO, et al.,	Civil Case No. 04-00049
	Plaintiffs,	
	vs.	
GOVE	RNMENT OF GUAM,	
	Defendant.	
	VS.	
FELIX	P. CAMACHO, Governor of Guam,	
	Intervenor-Defendant	

Before the Court are a number of recent filings by the parties. However, the Court will 1 2 take no action on them pending the Ninth Circuit's ruling on the issues presented in the interlocutory appeal.<sup>2</sup> There is no sense in proceeding piecemeal with the litigation until the 3 4 issues presented are conclusively determined.<sup>3</sup> In light of the stay the parties need not file responsive pleadings to the filings. The Court will set a briefing schedule thereafter as 5 6 appropriate. **SO ORDERED** this 8<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2006. 7 8 9 10 /s/ Ricardo S. Martinez RICARDO S. MARTINEZ\* 11 United States District Judge 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 <sup>1</sup>Joint Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement Agreement, Docket No. 20 320; Motion for Leave Joint Petition for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief, and/or for Recovery of Earned Income Tax Credits, or in the Alternative for a Writ of Mandamus, Docket No. 326; Stipulation 21 of Parties Pursuant to Section II(a)(I) of the May 26, 2006 Class Action Settlement Agreement, Docket No. 327; Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Costs Pursuant to Section II(a)(iv) of the May 26, 2006 Class 22 Action Settlement Agreement, Docket No. 328; Joint Motion of the Parties for Conditional Certification of the EIC Class for Settlement Purposes, Docket No. 329; Notice of Dismissal of Claims Against 23 Attorney General Douglas B. Moylan, Docket No. 330; Amended Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Costs 24 Pursuant to Section II(a)(iv) of the May 26, 2006 Class Action Settlement, Docket No. 331. 25 <sup>2</sup>This Order assumes that the Ninth Circuit will grant interlocutory appeal. However, should the Ninth Circuit deny interlocutory appeal, these matters will be revisited. 26 <sup>3</sup>Had all the parties agreed on a global settlement, including the Attorney General, the Court 27 could have considered the matters. However, under the circumstances, the Court cannot proceed with 28 any settlement at this time.

Washington, by designation.

\*The Honorable Ricardo S. Martinez, United States District Judge for the Western District of